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NATIONAL TICKET

For President  
WILLIAM J. BRYAN,  
of Nebraska.  
For Vice-President,  
ADLAIR E. STEVENSON,  
of Illinois.

For Congress, Second District—CLAUDE KITCHEN, of Halifax.  
Electors at Large—DAN HUGH McLEAN, of Harnett, LEE S. OVERMAN, of Rowan.

IN NEW YORK.

The contest in New York this year will not open till about the middle of September but the fact that it will continue for only a little more than six weeks will make it all the more spirited.

In every presidential campaign the eyes of the country are fixed upon New York because it has been the pivotal state so often and its vote usually is so uncertain. Ordinarily it would seem that a party which was defeated in a state by 268,000 plurality would have hardly a ghost of a show in that state only four years later. But the Democrats suffered such a defeat in New York in 1896 and the very next year elected their judiciary ticket by 40,000. In 1898 Roosevelt had less than 18 000 plurality for governor.

The result in 1896 is no indication as to how the State will go this year. Besides it must be remembered that New York has had for many years a habit of reversing its presidential vote at every election. Not since 1864 has its electoral vote been given to the same party twice in succession. It went to Seymour in 1868, to Grant in 1872, to Tilden in 1876, to Garfield in 1880, to Cleveland in 1884, to Harrison in 1888, to Cleveland again in 1892 and to McKinley in 1896. This should be a Democratic year in New York.

Much depends of course, upon the character of the state nominations made by the two great parties in New York and upon the extent to which harmony may be preserved in each of them. Every move preliminary to the lining up of the Democratic and Republican hosts in the state whose electoral vote may decide the presidential contest is being watched with intense interest and New York will become a more and more attractive field for observation as the eventful Tuesday in November approaches.

The Baltimore American, in celebrating the one hundred and twenty-seventh anniversary of its birth, published a fac-simile of its first issue—a three-column folio. Its advertising columns show that at that time—1773—George Washington was one of the prominent promoters of the country, as he was offering to settlers, upon very favorable terms, twenty thousand acres of land on the Ohio and Great Kenhawa rivers; for which he had obtained patents. The advertisement did not differ from similar ones prepared by promoters of the present day.

BRYAN AND THE POPULISTS.

William J. Bryan's speech accepting the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, at Indianapolis, was an exhaustive elaboration of the Democratic position upon

the paramount subject of imperialism. His shorter speech, Friday at Topeka, Kansas, accepting the Populist nomination, was devoted largely to a recitation of the issues upon which the Populists and Democrats are in agreement, and consequently antagonistic to the Republicans. This recital is followed by the statement that the Populists cannot hope to elect a President this year, but that they can decide the contest between the Democratic and Republican candidates.

According to Mr. Bryan the Democrats and Populists alike favor an income tax, free coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1, arbitration, direct legislation, a labor bureau presided over by a Cabinet officer, an effective inter-State commerce law, and are alike opposed to the single gold standard, government by injunction and black list, Chinese labor, trusts and the control of the business, money and politics of the country by trusts. He likewise offers some argument designed to prove that the present prosperity of the farmers is not due to a Republican policy, but to good crops and high prices arising from conditions which no political party can control. He admits that the Populists favor an irredeemable currency, while the Democrats favor a currency redeemable in coin, but insists that both can logically stand together in opposing the Republicans, who propose to retire the greenbacks by substituting bank currency based upon an interest-bearing perpetual debt.

The most important part of Mr. Bryan's Topeka speech, however, is that in which he holds that questions of finance, currency, tariff and other purely administrative and economic subjects are subordinate to that of the principle and structure of our government. "In a government," says Mr. Bryan, "where the people rule every wrong can be righted and every evil remedied, but when once the doctrine of self-government is impaired and might is substituted for right there is no certainty that any question will be settled correctly." The burden of the speech, therefore, is that the Republican can policy is an abandonment of the fundamental principle that just government derives their powers from the consent of the governed, and that in consequence free government is in danger, and that it is the duty of all citizens regardless of party name or affiliations to unite for the overthrow of imperialism and militarism as the present paramount peril to American institutions.

One reason why many reforms as not brought about is possibly the fact that nobody wants to take the first step in the necessary direction. It is the old fable of who will bell the cat.

Outside of the comic papers a great deal has been said about the more or less nerve-shattering effects of incapable singers or musicians persisting in their dread work of reducing the world stock of harmonious content. While the learner on the cornet has been regarded as a prime offender in this respect those favoring the inartistic handling of other instruments at inopportune times have also come in for a share of criticism.

A move, however, towards the cure of this evil may be foreshadowed in the conduct of a Derby, Conn., wife. Worried past endurance by her husband's abortive attempts to bring music out of the barjo she had him arrested. The Court decided he should either give up the instrument or support his better half while she lived out of his hearing. Whether good law or not a beginning is made in the matter of downing the two insistent amateur musician, and the future may be consequently rich in developments.

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### Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from Superior Court of Wayne county, I will, on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1900, at 12 o'clock m., at the court house door in Goldsboro, sell, by public auction for cash, to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which W. B. Pennington, Malinda Oats, C. W. Pennington, C. B. Pennington, Lewis D. Pennington, Isam R. Pennington, Robert L. Pennington, Beulah Bell Pennington, Robt. K. Pennington, Sarah N. Pennington, and Kinchen O. Pennington, have in the following described real estate, to wit: Situated in Grantham's township, bounded on the north by the lands of J. M. Grantham; on the east by the lands of L. R. Britt and J. M. Adams; on the south by the lands of Moses Joyner and the heirs of T. N. Best deceased; and on the west by the lands of Wm. Wise, being entirely surrounded by said lands, and containing three hundred and seventy-one acres, more or less.

B. F. SCOTT, Sheriff

This 10th day of August, 1900

### To The Public!

For four summers in succession, my health has given way and caused me much uneasiness. I am persuaded it's best for me to quit farming for a while and try a different climate. I, therefore, offer for sale the house and lot in Goldsboro on which I now reside. My farm near the asylum, two miles from Goldsboro, containing 245 acres. This farm is in a high state of cultivation and grows any kind of a crop well. My old place in Grantham's township, 10 miles from Goldsboro, containing 307 acres. This place grows all crops well, but is especially adapted to the growth of fine tobacco; three good tobacco barns; good dwelling and all necessary outbuildings. Terms easy.

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Very truly,  
J. A. STEVENS.  
Goldsboro, N. C., July 20, 1900.

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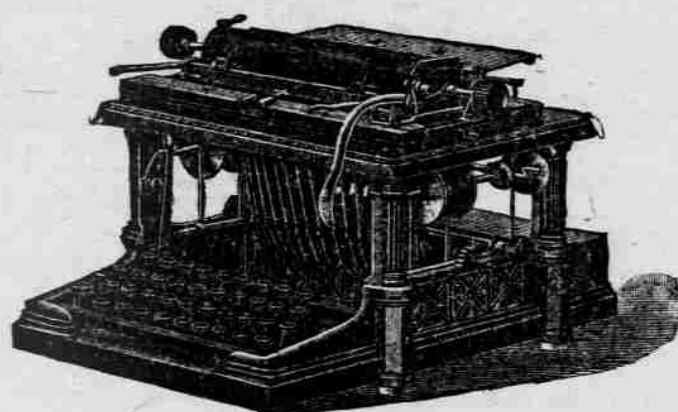
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Groceries:—March 4c a pound, soda 4c a lb. Sugar 5c a lb. Coffee 8c a lb. Vinegar 5c a quart and up. Molasses 80c a gallon, also fine syrup, 2 bars horse soap only 5c. Flour, meat and meal. Lard, pepper, spice, powders and canned goods as low as can be sold. Fine cheese, pure cream, cakes, candy, crackers, etc. Crockery, Tinware, Wood and Willoware, Patent Medicines, etc. We will not be undersold.

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F. G. MIDDLETON, PROPRIETOR

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F. C. OVERMAN, Jan. 22, 1900.

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